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SUMMARY OF RED CROSS ACTIVITIES REVEALS MAGNITUDE OF SERVICE

Almost Four Million Dollars in Additional Relief Supplies Shipped to Europe for Aid of War Victims in Europe And The Orient—Interesting Story of Service And Mercy—Average 25 Boats per Month.

The latest "War Relief Summary" issued by the American Red Cross at Washington and dated March 24th states that since February, almost four million dollars in additional relief supplies have been shipped for the aid of war victims in Europe and the Orient.

Shipments to Great Britain alone average twenty-five boats each month. The hungry civilians in Spain and France have received milk, medicines, clothing and flour. Finland and China have received material in shipments of clothing, foodstuffs and medicines, and a shipment is now en route to Greece. Also many shipments have moved from Pacific Coast ports bound for Shanghai, Hongkong and Rangoon for the aid of the distressed Chinese.

Total relief made available by and through the American Red Cross up to March 1st was \$22,981,942.

President Roosevelt has approved allocations to the American Red Cross from the \$50,000,000 U. S. Government appropriation for foreign war relief of \$33,000,000. Expenditures and commitments from this fund for food, medical, clothing and other relief to all of the nations concerned totals \$38,319,330 and does not include expenditures and commitments for cloth and yarn shipped to Chapters to be made into garments.

The freighter Cold Harbor, chartered by the American Red Cross, and with the red cross name and symbol and U. S. flag painted on her side, docked first in Cadiz, Spain, where tons of flour and milk were unloaded. The night of her unloading, aged inmates of a charitable home had their first meal from these supplies from America. In ensuing days, distribution continued in Cadiz, Seville and Barcelona, and is continuing under the direction of Red Cross representatives, through established agencies and the Spanish Red Cross.

The Cold Harbor sailed for Marseilles, and there she docked amidst a gay and festive occasion in which most of the school children of the city turned out to greet the ship. United States and French flags were waved, and the children and officials joined in shouting "Vive l'Amerique, vive President Roosevelt." The foreign correspondent of the New York Times cabled from Marseilles describing the scene as follows: "Hundreds of French school children waving the Stars and Stripes and the Tricolor shouted their thanks to the United States this morning as more than a dozen civil authorities, generals, admirals, bishops and others, went aboard the freighter Cold Harbor chartered by the American Red Cross, in order to take charge of her cargo of milk, vitamins and clothing. The delegation passed along the dockside through lines of these children reinforced by Boy Scouts, Girl Guides and Red Cross nurses, all cheering themselves hoarse."

Besides the above, relief to prisoners of war is traditionally a Red Cross service, and after long negotiations, operations have begun to bring to prisoner of war through the International Red Cross Committee at Geneva standard food parcels, articles of clothing and other comfort items are en route to ten thousand prisoners of British, French, Belgian or Polish nationality. Provision also has been made whereby persons in the U. S. may order parcels delivered to identified prisoners.

Relief to the minds and hearts of worried relatives and friends is the primary objective of the American Red Cross Inquiry and Information Service, through which inquiries about persons in war-affected countries are handled. Through March 8, this service had accepted over 70,000 inquiries and more than 37,000 reports had been received on these requests. The service also carries a large volume of correspondence regarding the sending of money or packages to persons abroad. Through March 1st expenditures in the amount of \$51,777.81 had been made to maintain this service.

ST. JOSEPH ACADEMY

Easter holidays will begin Wednesday, April 3 at 3:00 P. M. Classes will resume on Friday, April 5 at 8:30 A. M.

School on Saturday, April 6, 1941. On Sunday, April 7, 1941, the school will be closed.

PLAN FOR N. C. E. A. AT ORLEANS

Six Thousand Delegates Are Expected to Attend Catholic Convention 16-18.

An attendance of some 6000 Catholic educators of the nation as delegates to the National Catholic Educational Association convention from April 16 to 18 at New Orleans was indicated, according to reports submitted at a meeting of the local arrangements committee at the chancery office Monday, under direction of Rev. Edward C. J. Prendergast, superintendent of Catholic schools and general chairman. Hundreds of other visiting teachers, besides the delegates and members of the association, were expected, especially from neighboring Southern states.

A special choir of more than 300 voices, composed of students from Catholic high schools of the city, who will be in uniforms as being trained by Rev. Robert Stahl, S. M., of Notre Dame Seminary, to sing the Solemn Pontifical Mass for the opening of the convention. Most Rev. Joseph F. Rummel, S. T. D., Archbishop of New Orleans, and host to the convention, being the celebrant. Two large rooms at the Roosevelt convention headquarters, have been reserved as halls of altars, and temporary altars will be erected in these rooms under direction of Rev. Joseph Wester, chairman of arrangements for visiting priests. Facilities will also be provided at churches in the business section, Father Wester said. Cathedral Knights of the Altar, under direction of Rev. Edward B. Post, O. M. I., will serve as acolytes.

Arrangements have been made by Rev. Anthony Wegmann, for restaurant in the exhibit hall, where facilities will be provided for the Sisters to take their meals. A branch postoffice will also be established in the Municipal Auditorium, where all sessions of the convention will be held, including all sectional meetings.

A tour of historic buildings and local places of interest has been planned by Rev. Vernon P. Aleman. One tour is scheduled for Thursday, April 17, at 4:30 p. m., and a second on Friday, April 18, at 2 p. m.

A unique scheme of decorations for the city, railroad stations, hotel headquarters, auditorium, and the Cathedral has been prepared by Miss Betty Finnin, under direction of Rev. George Dolan, C. S. C., chairman of the decorations committee. Canal street light standards will be ornamented with white, blue and gold bunting, and topped with a large book bearing a quill, inkpot and torch.

March Income Tax Collections Set Record Of About One Billion

Washington, April 2.—The treasury said today income tax collections reached a monthly record of about \$1,100,000,000 in March. The March total was nearly double the \$685,466,755 collected in March of last year. The figure exceeded collections made during the whole of several recent fiscal years.

CHRISTENING OF SON.

On Sunday afternoon at Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Laurent Kergoden was christened with the Rev. Father Leo F. Fahey officiating and Miss Muriel Kergoden, sister of Mr. Kergoden, and Mr. Robert Eaton, brother of Mrs. Kergoden, as sponsors. The baby was given the name of Albertus Kergoden. The baptismal record was signed by Rev. Fahey and the sponsors.

Rev. H. Joseph Jacobi Given Post At Orleans For Enlisted Men.

Rev. H. Joseph Jacobi, director of the Associated Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of New Orleans, has been appointed chairman of the local committee of the National Catholic Community Service by Most Rev. Joseph F. Rummel, Archbishop of New Orleans.

The organization was organized by the American Bishops to provide a program of activities for the welfare of men in naval and military service. The local group will look after soldiers and sailors visiting the city or on leave.

A meeting has been called of a group of leaders of Catholic lay organizations by Father Jacobi to form the local committee and to select an executive committee. This gathering is scheduled for Friday afternoon at the Catholic Woman's club, 207 Camp street.

Father Jacobi is well known locally, his parents residing in Bay St. Louis, and it is interesting and pleasant to read of his appointment to a post of importance and where his services will mean so much.

Injunction Against Pilgrimage Club to Be Heard Friday.

Natchez, April 2.—Hearing on the motion to dissolve an injunction against the Pilgrimage Garden Club, which was granted its deadly rival, the Natchez Garden Club, has been set back until Friday. It had been scheduled for Thursday.

The injunction, prohibiting the Pilgrimage Club from conducting organized tours to old homes and estates here, was granted the Natchez Club after its rival had trespassed on its dates. The Natchez Club tours are scheduled to end next Sunday.

Chancery Clerk Walter P. Abbott said that because of illness, Chancery Judge W. W. Cutler may not be able to preside at Friday's hearing and another judge may be called in.

NEW BOOKKEEPER AT THE MAGNOLIA CO.

C. J. Gordon, who has been with the Magnolia State Supply Company as book-keeper and general auditor after a number of years of service, and recently resigning, left for New Orleans, where he will be at home with his parents and has taken a similar position with a wholesale house. His departure is generally regretted. He is an excellent and popular young man and a acquisition to the personnel of the community.

Mr. Gordon is succeeded by Theodore Siegmund, of Bay St. Louis, who has been holding a position in New Orleans the past two years or more and his return to the Bay is pleasant news.

AT CHADWICK'S TRADING POST.

Large circulars announce the formal opening and a great week-end sale at Chadwick's Trading Post, Waveland, for this week-end. The market, closed under former management, has been re-opened, and all departments of the big store carry new stock of fresh goods and all at attractive prices. Mrs. Chadwick always pleasant and agreeable to the trade, has returned to her post at the store and will be glad to meet the friends and acquaintances of former times.

BOARD PROCEEDINGS ARE PUBLISHED.

Full proceedings of the Board of Supervisors of Hancock county will be found published in this issue of The Echo. These publications are according to law and are given to the press regularly.

CONTRIBUTORS TO THE EATON J. BOWERS' MEMORIAL MARKERS

John H. Lang Reports Cities Contributing to the Bowers' Memorial Fund.

The sum of \$225.50 is the cash sum solicited by Mr. John H. Lang, who initiated the idea and collected funds from the public to pay for the cost of a granite boulder monument at Gulfport to the memory of the late Congressman E. J. Bowers, of Bay St. Louis. From this sum there was sufficient remaining for a granite headstone at the grave in Cedar Rest cemetery, Bay St. Louis.

Mr. Lang venerable and pioneer citizen of the Mississippi Gulf Coast, who resides at Pass Christian, reports the following to The Sea Coast Echo, all funds personally solicited:

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| Bay St. Louis, 3 contributions | \$11.00 |
| Pass Christian, contributions | 51.00 |
| Gulfport, 22 contributions | 108.00 |
| Biloxi, 3 contributions | 15.00 |
| Mississippi City, 1 contribution | 10.00 |
| Handsboro, 1 contribution | 5.00 |
| Washington, 1 contribution | 5.00 |
| Memphis, 1 contribution | 10.00 |
| Jackson, 1 contribution | 10.00 |
| Total | \$225.50 |

"The amount of collections would not have been sufficient to pay all expenses if I had not been aided by the Commissioners of Gulfport who placed the foundation."

"I want to extend thanks to all the above donors and also to Mr. Brent who operates the Biloxi Marble Works for donating part of his commission."

YOUNG PEOPLE HAVE "BARN DANCE"

Edwin Zimmerman recently entertained at a dance for members of the school set in "Chadwick's Barn."

Decorations of a rural nature were in effect and refreshments of punch and cake were served and the young people enjoyed dancing until a late hour. Those enjoying this delightful party were: Misses Dorothy Rabito, Irma Elsie and Maxine Tudury, Margaret Elbert, Margie Green, Helen Marie Catherine and Irene Hanson, Marcelle Morrere, Margie Green, Helene Kergoden, Jackie Cuevas, Margie Goelenleuchter, and Amelia Chadwick, and Messrs. Leo Fractious, Donald Everett, Harold Krause, Joseph January, Mark Carmichael, Harold, Eddie and Billy Zimmerman, John and Guy Funk, Alvin Lucien and Louis Marrero, Donald Landry, James Russell, Russell Chapman, Buddy Hava, Anthony Trenacosta, Otto Roemer, Luke Benigno, Calvin and Edward Kingsmill, William Goelenleuchter, Preston LeBreton and Evans Maloney.

Usual Number of High School Students To Visit Bay-Waveland.

Palm Sunday this weekend with Easter only a few days off. Next week Holy Week is a signal for a time of religious endeavor and church ceremonies.

Next week-end will bring the usual number of high school boys and girls in house-party groups. There are no indications of how big the usual influx will be, but sufficient to say, Bay St. Louis will get its usual share. From private letters and information we learn, Bay-Waveland will entertain several large parties, these sections, the favorite of the Gulf Coast for the pre-Easter holiday vacation.

S. J. A. CLUB TO MEET

The Parents' Club of St. Joseph Academy will meet on Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the convent for their regular monthly meeting and all members are urged to attend.

Boy Scout Executives Meeting (Tonight) Friday April 4, Hotel Reed

Regular monthly meeting of scout executives and committeemen will be held tonight (Friday, April 4) at Hotel Reed, 8 P. M.

Steve Kenney, field executive of New Orleans, area, will be present and it is hoped a nice audience will be on hand.

All men interested in scouting are cordially invited to be present. Scouting in Bay St. Louis is going over in a big way. There are at present two Boy Scout troops and two Girl Scout troops, the Sea Scouts and in addition there is a newly organized colored boy scout troop.

A survey of Bay St. Louis shows that there are many boys in our midst who are eligible and of scout age and facilities must be made to have them join some troop and be able to fulfill that urge to become a scout. More men are needed to act as scout masters and committeemen. There is lots to be accomplished thru scouting. Attend this meeting and become acquainted with the men already active in scouting and lend your services to this cause.

WELL-KNOWN BAY ST. LOUIS RESIDENT IS GIVEN RESPONSIBILITY



JOE L. KILLEN

Summer resident of Bay St. Louis, president of Fitzgerald Advertising Agency, Inc., New Orleans, who has been selected as chairman of the publicity committee campaign for the Community Chest for the new year at New Orleans, a petition of prominence and responsibility.

Mr. Killen is prominently connected in New Orleans and known nationally as the head of one of the larger and well-known advertising agencies in the South. He has just returned from a trip to New York and is a most busy man. Even though his time is taken up with his executive duties, he will find time to do a splendid job of the arduous and exacting duties that befall this lot as publicity man for so big a project and where so much money and work is involved.

A better selection could not have been made. And Bay St. Louis joins the other home-folks in New Orleans in congratulating this yet comparative young man to so high and responsible position.

TO BE CLOSED ON GOOD FRIDAY

There will be no film presentations at the A. & G. Theater on Good Friday, the house being closed for the day according to a custom since the Ames & Gaspard entered business years ago. This is the only day in the year the theater is closed.

TWO RESIDENTS FROM THIS SECTION NAMED TO STATE-WIDE COMMITTEE

Mrs. E. C. Carrere and Lucien M. Gex to Serve On Newly-Created Catholic Committee of the South—To Attend Convention April 20, 21 and 22 at Birmingham, Ala.

TO OPEN NEW SHOP APRIL 6

Public Invited to Visit Handsome New Plumbing Fixtures Stucco Building.

The attractive new stucco building which was erected to house the new firm of Monti and Carver Plumbing Company has been completed and will be open for public inspection on next Sunday, April 6.

The new company is composed of Lou Monti, well known local plumber, and Warren Carver, equally well known member of the State Auditor's office at Jackson. Both of these young men are natives of Bay St. Louis, attending the local schools and members of families which have resided here always, and are worthy of the patronage of the buying public of Bay St. Louis.

The new building is attractive with its stucco exterior and large plate glass windows which amply display the attractive fixtures and plumbing supplies which they will sell.

Monti Bros., who have been doing plumbing work here for many years are well known and their ability for handling the installation of plumbing and gas appliances are a known fact in Bay St. Louis and every good wish goes to these enterprising young people for a most successful business.

ASKING FOR BIDS

O. B. Dupree, chairman Board of Trustees, Kiln Consolidated School, is asking for bids for the tearing down of an unused school building at Kiln, according to an official advertisement appearing elsewhere in this issue of The Sea Coast Echo. Bids will be open at Kiln on Saturday, April 28. Completing a new stucco building there is no further use for the frame building that has served for a long while.

HOSPITAL NOTES.

Mr. Victor Cuevas of Fenton is a medical patient.

Mr. and Mrs. Cloza Necaise of Kiln announce birth of a daughter at the hospital. Both mother and baby doing nicely.

Betty Cuevas is improving after suffering from attack of colitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Favre of Kiln announce birth of a daughter, born April 2nd.

Mrs. Addie Sellers is a medical patient.

Lottie Necaise is still confined at the hospital.

BACHMAN HOME SOLD

The large home of Mrs. H. Bachman, corner Burnett street and Dunbar avenue, was recently sold to Mr. Harry Hardib, president of the Hardib Bag Manufacturing Company of New Orleans.

Metropolitan Area Of New Orleans Has Half Million People.

Washington, April 1.—The Census Bureau in its final report today announced the population of the metropolitan area of New Orleans as 540,030 on April 1, 1940, an increase of 45,153 persons or 9.1 per cent over the 1930 census.

The 1940 population of the city was 494,537, an increase of 35,775 persons or 7.3 per cent in the ten years and 11 in the metropolitan district outside of the city 45,493, an increase of 378, or 28.0 per cent.

The metropolitan district contained 149,055 dwelling units of which 4,049, or 2.7 per cent were vacant and for sale or rent, according to the 1940 census.

Of the 149,055 dwelling units 187,215 were in the city of New Orleans.

Not That Old

Customer—Ten years ago I only had 65 pay ten cents a pound for these peaches.
 Grocer—Not these peaches. These are less than seven years old.

Mrs. Edouard C. Carrere, of Waveland, and Mr. Lucien M. Gex have been honored with appointment to a committee of nine from the State of Mississippi to serve on the Diocesan Committee, by Rt. Rev. R. O. Gerow, Bishop of Natchez.

The committee is composed of three priests of the state, and six laymen—three ladies and three gentlemen.

During the year 1939, prior to the holding of the second National Catholic Social Action Congress, which convened at Cleveland, in June of that year, it was felt that the South, having conditions "different from other sections of the country, has its special problems. Accordingly, a Committee on the South" was formed at that time to prepare a discussion on Southern problems in the light of Christian social teachings—this discussion to be in conjunction with the Social Action Congress.

The committee is an important one and will have great responsibility. Some of its duties:

"To study the social, moral and religious problems peculiar to the South, e. g., in industry, rural life, education, social welfare and cognate fields.

"To formulate such recommendations as are judged wise and feasible.

"To co-operate with the bishops in their respective dioceses, working in conjunction with whatever diocesan organizations or groups they indicate, and for the execution of such recommendations and programs as they are judged wise and useful for their respective dioceses."

And other purposes set out in the program.

The convention of the "Catholic Committee of the South" will be held in Birmingham, Ala., April 20, 21 and 22.

We understand the Rev. Father Wm. Leech of Biloxi is one of the three priests from over the State appointed. Thus the Coast is signally honored and recognized—three members from a state-wide committee.

Mrs. E. C. Carrere is a resident of the Bay-Waveland section, her home on Waveland beach and a member of the Church of St. Claire of which the Rev. M. J. Costello is pastor. She is an indefatigable worker and has served on various committees of importance, delegate to conventions and has read original papers before large organized bodies. While a co-salute in New Orleans and Bay St. Louis, she finds ample time to devote her talents and energies to church and school work, welfare and general usefulness.

Lucien M. Gex is a member of the well-known Gex family. An attorney by profession, he is at present holding the post of city attorney and has served the public in various capacities. He is a practical and ardent Catholic and as one of the three laymen church members of this committee, his ability and energy will serve in good stead.

MISS GLADYS CAPDEPON'S 16TH BIRTHDAY PARTY.

On Tuesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Capdepon entertained a group of the younger school set at a dance at Palmisano's in honor of the sixteenth birthday of their second daughter, Miss Gladys Capdepon.

The large dining room of Palmisano's had been prettily decorated in a color scheme of pink and white and a large pink and white birthday cake graced the pretty table from which refreshments were served.

The young people enjoyed dancing with music furnished by music box. Those enjoying the party besides the young guests of honor were the Misses Angelina Bourgeois, Helen Arnold, Eunice and Ida Rose Tudury, Nathalie Buchler, Teletia Piazza, Marie Staphie, Audrey and Helen Biehl, Isabelle Carro, Mary Elizabeth Jackson, Elaine Lamer and Elsie Mae and Gloria Capdepon, and Messrs. Bobby Guilbault, Robert Johnson, Jr., Carlo Uchello, Wesley Hanson, Ed Carro, Emile Piazza, August Leonard, Jr., William Saenz, Lloyd Biehl, John Ellis, Jr., Peter Benvenuti and Henry Capdepon, Jr.

GARDEN CLUB TO MEET APR. 10

The Bay-Waveland Garden Club will meet for the month of April at the home of Dr. and Mrs. John Halsey at 764 Beach Boulevard on Thursday, April 10th at 2 P. M. in Waveland.

Dr. Halsey will speak before the Club and demonstrate the propagation of native iris and everyone attending is assured of a treat.

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NEW STREAMLINED TRAIN FROM NEW ORLEANS TO NEW YORK.

"THE Southerner" is the name of a new stream-lined diesel-engine driven train put on by the Southern Railway from New Orleans to New York daily, cutting the time down to a minimum never dreamed of.

Speed by this easy-running and luxurious train is not the only element to commend it to the public and their patronage, but the comfort afforded combined with quick time. Train traveling heretofore over long distance has been tiresome and well nigh laborious and nerve-racking since so much time was consumed in traveling.

Flying speed has brought the new trains into existence because of the rapid transit thus made possible. A trip now is only a matter of hours where formerly by train such journey would consume days.

But the railroads are meeting this kind of competition and that, successfully since there yet remains the majority of people who are timid about flying and would rather go by the good old terre firma way.

Streamlined trains have taken away that musty odor of those of other days and much of the inconvenience has been removed. Trains in California and those from the East to the Pacific Coast have put on dining cars where popular priced meals are served, with less style but with better food and less useless ceremony and sheer nonsense. The result has been amazing and traveling is now being revolutionized.

The Southerner will be the popular train from New Orleans to New York and its success will not only mean more profit for the public but more prestige and dollars and cents for the railroad company. The old trains of yesterday are a thing of the past and fast becoming absolutely obsolete. The old must give way for the new.

DISSENTING WORKERS AT NATCHEZ

IT IS unfortunate the women of Natchez, or rather their organizations for the pilgrimages have come to a clash and it became necessary to resort to the courts to satisfy their differences.

Originally there was one organization and one pilgrimage, all working for the same aim and object, combining their efforts to a unit purpose and as such the enterprise grew until it was nationally known and recognized.

But, from reports, dissension set in the organization of the women who were making a glorious success of their job, and soon the unit was torn asunder and an opposing group organized. As a result two pilgrimages are held each season. However, there was the understanding each was to take a different time. It appears the agreement did not hold and from internal strife the matter became public and finally reached the stage where what was once a united group of women workers has now become two opposing groups.

This is a great pity, regardless of the merits of either side. It does not redound to the credit of anyone, but resolves into one blot on the value and beauty of the thought that brought the pilgrimage into action.

The hope is expressed the differences will be smoothed to satisfaction; that the good women who have worked so valiantly in the interest of public cause will again combine their efforts and that the city of Natchez will not suffer the smear of misunderstanding that has arisen.

AIRPLANE ENGINES NOW!

AN idea of what is happening in the defense program is obtained by recalling that in September, 1939, the three manufacturers of airplane engines in the United States produced between 200 and 300 airplane engines.

In February, according to William S. Knudsen, American manufacturers delivered 3,470 high-powered airplane engines. While all of them did not come from the three manufacturers referred to in the first paragraph, most of them did and the three companies are expected to turn out nearly 4,000 engines a month by July.

Folks in New Orleans will now take a rest from many activities that have brought thousands of strangers to its gates and a flood of new money. The season of pageants and fiestas, etc., has come to an end. New Orleans has had a most successful winter season. Its organizations and individual aid have made it so.

There is considerable activity in the various business sections of Bay St. Louis. New places of business are preparing to open for the summer season and present places are preparing for more business. These signs are encouraging, to say the least.

Visitors to the new section of the Central School addition, completed on the Ulman avenue side receives praise and admiration by visitors. The new addition is thoroughly up to date and means much in more ways than one to our community patrons and students.

Bay St. Louis streets and highways as well as byways receive commendation from visitors and others who travel through. Our streets are in good condition, clean and premises show care and attention.

CITY MAKES A GOOD JOB OF CLEANING UP.

FOLLOWING the recent official proclamation of a "clean up week" the city has done a good job clearing all places of accumulation of weeds and foreign matter, and thus placing everything in shipshape and contributing to the sanitary condition of the community.

In connection with this "Garden Week" has also had an equally fine effect. Owners of private premises have cleared yards of much of the unsightly accumulation of weeds, brush and the like. This is nothing unusual for a city to do. But the manner in which the public responded to the city's proclamation and the efficient manner in which it was accomplished calls for commendation.

Our city is one of natural beauty. And keeping it clean and private premises neat and trim contributes immeasurably to the success of the work as a whole.

Our Mayor and Commissioners, ever on the alert for the many things that fall to their lot and duty, are not remiss but have given, with the aid of the efficient street department, a thorough and worthy job. Now let's keep our city in this condition. Our gardens bloom and our lawns even and green. It pays wonderful dividends in more ways than one.

FORTHCOMING FLOWER SHOW.

MEMBERS of Bay-Weyland Garden Club report an increasing interest manifested generally in the forthcoming annual flower show in Bay St. Louis.

This exhibit will be held this month and located in the building known as The Sea Gull, which the owner, Mrs. John N. Stewart has generously tendered its use for the specific purpose.

The flower show has attracted much interest for the reason a splendid showing has been made each year and a visit thereto has been well worth while.

Holding the exhibit at this time of the year, where there is more to show, and since the Garden Club membership has increased and its interest and enthusiasm of members keeps pace, there is every reason the flower show will be one big success and that from every possible angle.

There will be much to show, the building is spacious and will lend itself admirably to the purpose and aside from the beauty and inspiration to be gained from visiting this place of thing of beauty and joy forever, there is an educational value not to be lost sight of.

The Echo is impressed with the civic side of such undertaking and its value, too, cannot be overestimated.

HELP CRIPPLED CHILDREN.

THE Hancock county chapter of the Crippled Children Society of Mississippi is making its appeal to the people of this county for contributions to sustain and enlarge the work of the organization.

Certainly, every adult will seriously consider this opportunity to share in giving new hope to hundreds of unfortunate children whose pathetic plight fails to move us to more generous gifts merely because we do not come into direct contact with their need.

Parents of children, who happen to be sound of limb, can express their gratitude by making a contribution to ease the affliction of more less fortunate child. Every adult, who has enjoyed normal physical growth, ought to be glad to have a part in extending assistance to the crippled children who face life under great handicaps.

ABOUT AIRPLANE ACCIDENTS.

EVERY once in a while we hear some anxious American express alarm and amazement at the number of pilots killed in airplane accidents.

It is true that accidents have increased and that they are overemphasized in the public mind by the publicity they receive. It is well to remember, however, that the Army and Navy are doing more flying than ever before.

General George C. Marshall, Chief of Staff of the Army, in discussing these accidents cites figures for the Army showed that in 1921 there was one accident for every 214 hours of flying, but that in 1940 there was one accident for every 1,191 hours. While the number of accidents has increased about one-third the flying time has increased twelve times.

GUNS AHEAD OF SCHEDULE.

THE defense program is getting along better than most Americans suspect even it is not performing the miracle as fast as we think this industrial nation can do the job.

The other day the Pittsburgh district reported the production of the first 37-millimeter anti-aircraft gun, a full month ahead of schedule. About 225 different manufacturers make parts for the weapons which are assembled in a Pennsylvania plant.

First contracts for the gun were let last July, just after the fall of France. Hundreds of other contracts were let for similar material at the same time. Now, eight months afterwards, they bear fruit and defense equipment and items are rolling out of production lines in hundreds of plants.

FOOD TO GO TO EUROPE.

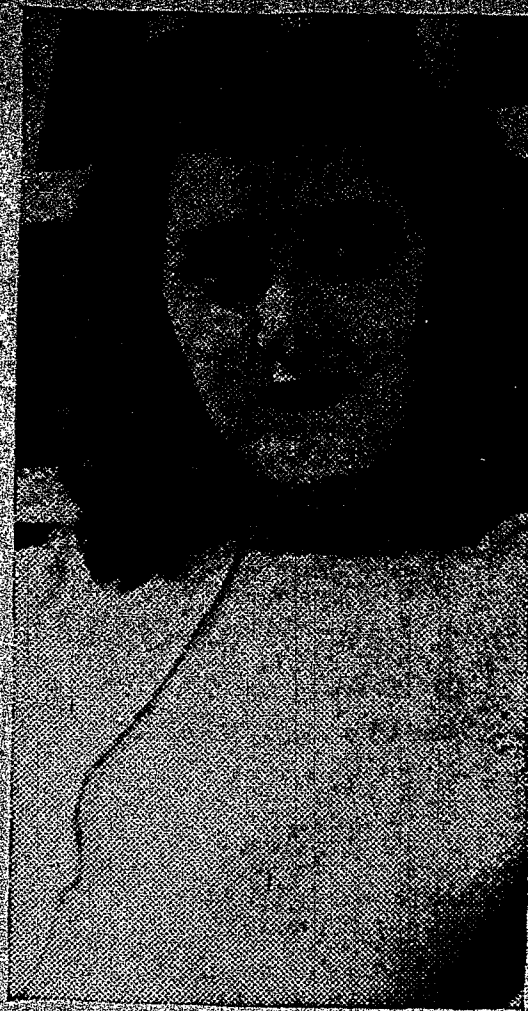
THE United States is expected to send a steady stream of food supplies to the anti-Axis powers of Europe, with supplies going to unoccupied France and Spain, as well as to Great Britain.

Finland has recently been granted a \$5,000,000 credit to relieve the food shortage and we presume arrangements will be made to facilitate the sale of foodstuffs to other parts of the world.

In sending its foodstuffs abroad, the United States will undoubtedly work in cooperation with the British Government.

The blockade of European ports, the longest war, that the British have ever known, is no longer a London or Washington story of the effectiveness of the blockade on supplies to Germany and occupied countries.

ALWAYS ACTIVE ANN



When she isn't busy on the studio sound set, vivacious Ann Rutherford is apt to be found on the beach, the baddminton or tennis court. One of the most energetic and athletic young women in the film colony, Ann is the perennially popular Polly Benedict of the Hardy stories, and has just finished a new role on the side in "Washington Melodrama," with Kent Taylor, Frank Morgan and Dan Dailey, Jr.

Hollywood Echoes.

DEANNA DURBIN and Paul Douglas are planning to be married in the same large church in which Jeanette MacDonald wed Gene Raymond—the Wilshire Methodist Church in Los Angeles—on April 18th. Can't you just see Deanna as a bride?

George Raft and Edward G. Robinson will have to be "butting" for their roles with Marlene Dietrich in the film "Manpower," as she towers over both these diminutive actors. They will wear lifts for the long shots and stand on blocks for the close-ups.

Seen at the party which Hollywood gave in honor of Maude Adams was a cute foursome composed of Jackie Cooper, Bonita Granville, Judy Garland and Dave Rose. Bette Davis, who has been stepping out in a big way recently, was also there with her new husband, Arthur Farnsworth.

Back in Hollywood after a very successful personal appearance tour, Alan Jones gave the milkmen and other riders a treat every morning when he rides his favorite horse down Sunset Boulevard singing at the top of his voice.

June Preisser is delighted with her new contract and her first big role at Paramount. She is to have the role in "Louisiana Purchase" in the screen version that Zorina had on Broadway. Bob Hope is tentatively set for the William Gaxton role.

Every two weeks Merle Oberon sends David Niven who is in England several pounds of tea and a crate of lemons.

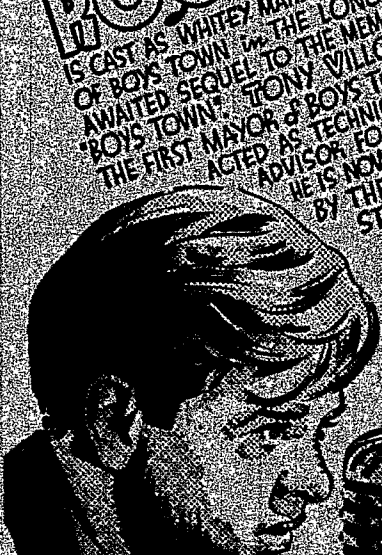
Joan Crawford's intense desire to live in New York may cause her to leave Metro after the completion of her current film, "A Woman's Face," and the contemplated, "Bombay Nights." She still has two or three years on her present contract.

Because she and her famous daughter are so much alike that they are almost twins, Ginger Rogers' mother has refused the mother role.

IT'S TRUE!

By Wiley Padan

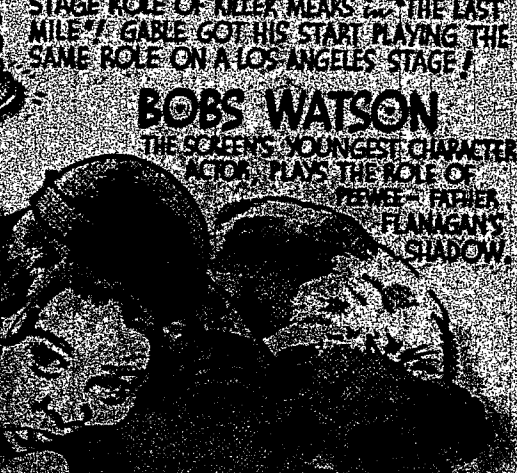
Mickey Rooney
LAST HE WENT AWAY, MAJOR
OF BOYS TOWN, IN THE LONGEST
AND MOST SUCCESSFUL OF HIS
"BOYS TOWN" SERIES, HE WAS
THE FIRST MAJOR OF BOYS TOWN
TO BE ACTED BY A MAJOR
WHO WAS ACTED BY THE
MAJOR OF BOYS TOWN.



SPENCER TRACY
WHO PLAYS THE ROLE OF FATHER AMONG
IN MAJOR MEN OF BOYS TOWN, WON SCREEN
OPPORTUNITY OF PLAYING THE BOYHOOD
STORY OF MAJOR MEN OF BOYS TOWN, THE
MAJOR OF BOYS TOWN, WHO GOT HIS START
PLAYING THE SAME ROLE ON A LOS ANGELES STAGE.



BOBS WATSON
THE SCREEN'S YOUNGEST CHARACTER
ACTOR, PLAYS THE ROLE OF
THE MAJOR OF BOYS TOWN, WHO GOT HIS
START PLAYING THE SAME ROLE ON A
LOS ANGELES STAGE.



NEW YORK, N.Y.—"IT'S TRUE!" that Spencer Tracy, who is now shooting a title for his new MGM film, says Wiley Padan, "He called it 'Men of Boys Town,' accepted the track, then turned it over to the Red Cross."

Father McKenna's Sermon At DeLisle Catholic Church

On Sunday, March 27

"Before a large audience the Rev. Father McKenna delivered at DeLisle Catholic church a most impressive sermon on 'Penance in This Life.' There is not most familiar to us in some form or another so our lot is labor, sufferings and death and this season of Lent is a special time to do penance for our sins. Penance: punishment inflicted on ourselves in satisfaction for those offenses for which we felt we have so imperfectly atoned and obtain from God those graces which so greatly are needed.

Our duties during Lent is to please God by prayer, fasting and alms giving. Fasting is so agreeable to God that Christ gave us the example in fasting for 40 days and 40 nights. The city of Nineveh was spared by fasting. Neither king nor people nor beasts took either food nor drink. Keep the law of fasting and abstinence as it is portable to us. Come to mass daily. Try to make daily an act of mortification or penance, for instance, abstain from all intoxicating drinks, abstain from all impure thoughts and avoid the sins of the tongue. While we are denying the body by doing some penance during Lent and never miss mass on Sundays; let us prepare ourselves for our great duty on Easter Sunday, the greatest festival of the year by a sincere confession and then we shall refresh and satiate our soul in receiving in Holy Communion the Resurrected Savior. In that way we shall be able to sing a thrice Alleluia because we will possess in our heart and soul—Peace and Joy at Easter time.

Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament was given by the good and intelligent Rev. Francis Hayes of Pass Christian.

Another item is the following: the "Memorare" prayer of St. Bernard set into English and music by Rev. Father E. Jos. Nutch, was sung by Mrs. Daisy Keel with great effect.

After the sermon the organist, Mrs. Napoleon Necaise, directed the choir for a new beautiful song, "Heart of Jesus Heart," which was also appreciated. It is the first time that Father McKenna came here and the writer is glad to state that he found our little church a most beautiful one.

REV. R. J. SORIN.

Melody Lingers On

"My daughter has arranged a little place for the piano."

"Good! It's about time we had a little peace."

Assignment in Ginger's "Tom, Dick, and Harry."

Tully Marshall, famous character actor and best known, perhaps, for his role in "The Covered Wagon" is still active in pictures although he will be 77 years old in April.

Having passed the 30,000,000 attendance mark recently, sponsors predict that before the end of the present year more than 40,000,000 persons will have seen "Gone With The Wind."

Because they sold their beautiful home during their marital rift, Myrna Loy and her husband, Arthur Hornblow, Jr., are now living in a rented apartment.

Annabella, wife of Tyrone Power, is busy at home studying with two English teachers in preparation for her attempt at a Hollywood comeback.

Because of the popular reception accorded Jack Carson, who married the blonde in "Strawberry Blonde," he will be further teamed with James Cagney. Their next picture together will be in "Bush Pilots," the story of two barnstormers who are in love with the same girl, Ida Lupino.

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RECENT LOCAL REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Recent real estate transfers as taken from the records at the Hancock Courthouse are as follows:

Lots 188 and 187 of the Fourth Ward of Bay St. Louis were sold by James Geary to James Jay Gazin for a consideration of \$5500.00.

Lot 318 of the Third Ward of Bay St. Louis by the Hancock Bank to Alvin and Nora Bosarge for a consideration of \$500.00.

Lot 11 of the First Ward of Bay St. Louis by Charles E. Braun to Edwin P. Toea for a consideration of \$1375.00.

Lot 588 of the First Ward of Bay St. Louis by H. C. Moody to Elmina W. Army.

Lots 58 and 59 of Waveland were sold by John P. Habito to Dan Chadwick.

Lot 103 of the Fourth Ward of Bay St. Louis by Louis Colton to Margaret C. Hymel and Mrs. Bertha E. Monroe.

Lot 219 of the City of Bay St. Louis was sold by Charles A. Breath, Sr. to Charles A. Breath, Jr., for \$2500.00.

Lot 57 of the First Ward of the City of Bay St. Louis by Geo. O. Bernsen to Mrs. Victoria V. Pender for \$2600.00.

Lot 36 of the Waveland Park Subdivision of the Third Ward of Waveland by Oswald M. Villere to Mrs. Nellie Aphen Russo.

Homeless Spectimen
Aunt—Precious what did you do in school today?
Precious—We had a nature study. Each pupil had to bring a specimen from home.
Aunt—And what did you bring, precious?
Precious—I brought a bedbug in a bottle.

40,000 pilots already trained in the CAA's villan program.

Mississippi has only \$2,274 to tax for each child in school while New York has \$21,147 for each child and Nevada, \$29,718.

TO MY FRIENDS

When one is sick and down and out 'Tis nice to know, we're thought about.

A message here, a Get Well, card All make the road, not seem so hard!

When Friends drop in, with words so bright It helps to make a "blue day," light. And so to each of you, My Friends, My deepest thanks to you, I send.

By LITA L. MORRILL
Mar. 31, 1941, Twin Oaks, Bay St. Louis, Miss.

MAIN STREET, METHODIST CHURCH

Bay St. Louis, Miss.
REV. J. L. SMITH, Pastor.

Church School, 10 A. M., Sunday.
Dr. J. A. Evans, General Supt.
11 A. M. sermon by pastor.

7:30 P. M. Sermon by pastor.
7:30 P. M. Tuesday, Young Peoples meeting.

7:30 P. M. Wednesday, mid-week Prayer Service.

It is indeed a pleasure to have visitors and strangers come and worship with us.

CHRIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH SERVICES

Front and Carroll Avenue
Rev. Warwick Aiken, Rector.

Sundays—Morning Service with Sermon 9:30 o'clock.
Church School, 9:30, in Parish House.

Holy Communion—
1st Sunday in month at 9:30
2nd Sunday in month at 7:30
Bible Class, Mrs. Warwick Aiken leader, 2nd Wednesday of month.

City Echoes

The Chas. J. Mitchell dwelling on Touline near Main street, is undergoing considerable painting. Geo. Heitzman and son doing the work.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur A. Seafide and children motored to Sli-dell, La., on Sunday where they visited with relatives for the day.

Brother Peter, president of St. Stanislaus College, left the latter part of the week for a visit to Notre Dame College near Chicago, Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McCaleb entertained as guests in their home on Sunday, their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Whalen and little daughter, Betty, of Biloxi.

Mr. W. T. O'Brien has returned from New Orleans where she spent two weeks visiting relatives and friends, a former resident of New Orleans.

On last Thursday, the Misses Miriam and Levia Engman, Mrs. Claude Monti and Mrs. Harry Sum-rall motored in a party to Bell-ingrath Gardens near Mobile, Ala.

Mr. John Bopp, an attaché of the Government Service in the defense Program, left this week for Schenectady, N. Y., having been transferred from New Orleans.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer T. Von Gohren and Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Stratmann and son, L. C. Jr., of New Orleans were guests of Mrs. Paula Jenks on last Sunday.

Mr. E. N. Spence and his son, Ernest, arrived by plane from Panama for a visit at their Waveland Beach home and will leave on Saturday by plane for South America.

Mrs. H. P. Burbank and Mrs. C. J. Chadwick motored to New Orleans Wednesday, where they spent the day in shopping centers, traveling to and from in Mrs. Burbank's car.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Kergosien motored from their home in Bogalusa, La., on Monday evening and visited in the home of Mr. Kergosien's mother, Mrs. A. A. Kergosien on Carroll avenue.

Mrs. L. S. Elliott spent Wednesday in New Orleans, visiting her aged aunt, Mrs. Emily Russell, who has been critically ill, and known locally since she visits her niece and family here from time to time.

Mrs. F. J. Bopp was among the many visitors from Bay St. Louis to New Orleans last week attending some of the Spring Fiesta and enjoying "A Night in Old New Orleans."

The ladies of the Episcopal Guild of Christ Church met in the parish house on Tuesday morning with Mrs. Kenneth P. Thompson, president, in the absence of the president, Mrs. L. T. Boyd.

Mrs. A. A. Kergosien had as guests in her home on Carroll avenue, her sister-in-law, Mrs. R. L. Martin of Beaumont, Texas, and Mrs. W. A. Cuevas of Vicksburg, Miss.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Schoenhardt and baby daughter are visiting this week with Mrs. Schoenhardt's parents and brother, Mr. and Mrs. J. Stevens and Jimmy, at their home on Sycamore street.

Mrs. C. A. Worsley and Miss Jane Hunter have both recovered from their recent illnesses and left the King's Daughters Hospital and are domiciled at The Answer with Mrs. W. L. Bourgeois, where they will reside in future.

On last Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Larose entertained a large family party at dinner at their home on North Beach Boulevard with the following members of the family here for the day: Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Larose and family, Mrs. Sterling Comeau, Mrs. A. Prim and little daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Buckley and little daughters.

Mayor G. Y. Blaize, who has been quite ill with the prevailing flu, for a period of two weeks, was able to be up Wednesday for the first time since he was taken ill. His honor's cordial presence has been missed at the city hall and about town.

Motoring in a party on last Thursday and attending the Times-Picayune Cooking School held in the Municipal Auditorium in New Orleans were Mesdames Claude Monti and Sam Piazza and the Misses Miriam and Levia Engman.

Alice Carver, in charge of the City Hall premises is up and out again after a hard tussle with the flu. The garden in front of the city hall was given attention one of the first duties, and will in time be blossoming forth as usual—one of the beauty spots of the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Hille, Mr. and Mrs. H. Grady Perkins and Mr. Horace L. Kergosien formed a party motoring to Memphis, Tennessee, on last Saturday and returning with several new models of Oldsmobiles on the following day, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cain who reside in the Cuneo cottage on Carroll avenue had as their guests for last week end Mr. and Mrs. John Mitro and children of New Orleans.

Mr. Cain and Mr. Mitro motoring to Pine Hills in the afternoon and enjoying a game of golf.

Great rejoicing prevailed in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Heitzman, Sr., upon the arrival of their first grandchild, a girl, born to Mrs. Edward Heitzman, Jr., on last Friday morning at Hotel Dieu in New Orleans.

Edward Heitzman, Jr., is with the Mississippi Power Company and Mrs. Heitzman, Jr., is the former Miss Jean Crisler of New Orleans.

On last Sunday afternoon a large crowd gathered in Trapani's Club and played bingo for charity's sake, the beneficiary of this week's game being the local King's Daughters Hospital which cares for so many.

The game was sponsored by the Misses Miriam and Levia Engman, with Mrs. E. J. Lacoste, Mrs. Sam Piazza and Miss Lucille St. Amant assisting and the prizes were home-made cakes, made by Mrs. Lacoste, the largest one having been won by Mr. Fred Fayard, Sr.

Recently purchasing the commercial property located on Necaise avenue, (opposite St. Mary Cemetery) from the Merchants Bank & Trust Company, Emilio Cue of the Cue Oil Company, has begun work remodeling and repairing the property for his own business occupancy as the oil company's headquarters and warehouse. This building was originally constructed by C. C. McDonald and occupied by him for many years as a building material sales-room and offices.

Jesse W. Gray, and Octave Delph, prominent young Bay St. Louis businessmen and officers in Bay St. Louis Rotary Club, are preparing to attend the Regional meeting of Rotary to be held in New Orleans the latter part of this month and when Rotarians from the Southern States will gather for a three-day convention, with a number of interesting tours and events planned.

Mr. Gray and Mr. Delph were elected as delegates to the convention at a recent meeting.

As per their annual custom, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Exnicios and sister, Miss Josie Miller, plan to leave Saturday morning for Walled City, Michigan, where they will spend the summer. En route they will visit in Chicago and at Niles, Michigan. Mr. Exnicios completed the last two houses of the number he has built this winter in Bay View Court, one to Mr. "Dick" Daly who is occupying same. Returning in the early fall he plans to build two more, if present plans go through. He has contributed largely and intelligently to the upbuilding of Bay St. Louis, giving the city one of the more modern and newest residential sections. Mr. R. Terrell Perkins, realtor and developer, has been his major assistant.

ALONG BAY ST. LOUIS GARDEN PATHS

The lot of the gardener is at times a difficult one. Just when it seems as though the crows have been somewhat eliminated as a nuisance, along comes the garden thief who pilfers, apparently for the pure joy of destruction.

The past week several gardens have been ravaged; plants trampled—torn up by the roots and taken away. Among the gardeners who have had the fruits of their labors so abused, are Mrs. Wallace Catchings and Mrs. Roland Weston. Both colorful at this time of year, these gardens have been repeatedly robbed.

The help of the authorities has been solicited and it is hoped the culprits will be apprehended soon, so as to stop this thievery.

Daily, almost hourly, it grows more springtime. The petan trees are budding out, sure sign of spring. Where flowers were so scarce a few short weeks ago they are now plentiful and gardeners are busy everywhere.

A perfect frame of fresh green ivy is circling the side of the porch at the Chapman home on North Beach.

Mrs. Briggs has a bed of unusually fine, large orange and lemon yellow calendulas. Her bed of white iris is also exquisite.

The pea garden has a very beautiful Cherokee rose in full bloom on the back fence. A red bud, blooming for the first time this spring, is also very pretty.

The garden of Mrs. Kate Conner on Union street shows the results of loving care of long standing. The gorgeous purple and white bearded iris are beautiful at present. Mrs. Conner's geraniums of rosy hue are exceptionally fine, also due to the careful elimination of all but the best choice of plants. There is also a bed of fine calla lilies. A vegetable garden in trim rows displays a varied selection of edible plants interspersed with peach and plum trees.

One looks for the always present bouquet of seasonal flowers at the pretty rock shrine in the garden of Mrs. Claude Monti in taking the bend of the road by the railroad tracks.

The garden of Mrs. Octave Fayard on Main street is most colorful with its purple borders of low-growing flowers, amaryllis and other flowers.

Quite the most varied selection of plants and flowers seen in this vicinity may be found in the Meyer garden on St. Charles street. Mrs. Meyers, an indefatigable worker has much to show for her labors. Flowers, not so well known in this part of the country are found in luxuriant abundance. Among these are the wall flower, the true delphinium, bleeding heart, fuselia, columbine, mostros, violas and sweet Williams. There are beds of magnificent pansies grown from seeds by Mrs. Meyers, in her efficient hot and cold frame in the side garden. Many of the more common shrubs and flowers found in this part of the south, are there, also. The live stock and fowl are as varied as the flowers. Under Mr. Meyers' supervision, the cows, ponies, cats, dogs, turkeys, guinea fow, chickens, ducks and geese all thrive under the Meyers' care. Even a large plump toad, an asset in any garden, was seen sunning himself on the edge of a flower bed.

The swimming pool in the rear, fed by a heavy stream of water from the artesian well, helps make this a most complete country place.

Across the way, Mrs. Woodcock carries on her interesting garden. There were found beds of healthy calla lilies, perennial phlox, white iris, thrift, wall flowers, roses and violets. And a border of very handsome, cultivated white violets.

The wide, expansive bed of annual phlox along the front of the Pond place is growing more colorful every day.

That expert rose fancier Mr. Allison has an unusually beautiful rose, the Charlotte Armstrong, a new variety in bloom. Before long Mr. Allison's rose garden, on North Beach, will be in full bloom, a truly beautiful spot to behold.

The Sports on South Beach have been gathering armfuls of sweet peas from the vines in their back garden.

Liner Washington is suddenly chartered as Army transport.

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WANTED: Company representative will be in Bay St. Louis between April 14 and 19 and desires interview with man who own car and would like to sell new Ford Mustang. For more information, please write to Mr. J. H. C. County, 1000 North Beach, Bay St. Louis, La.

Personal and General

MR. AND MRS. E. N. SPENCE ENTERTAIN AT LOVELY COCKTAIL PARTY MONDAY.

ONE of the loveliest and thoroughly enjoyable social events of the immediate season was the cocktail party given by Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Spence Monday evening at their home on Waveland beach, complimenting Mrs. Spence's charming house guest, her sister, Mrs. Samuel Hutchinson, of Birmingham, who is here for an indefinite period.

The center table in the spacious dining room was attractively decorated with snap dragons and other colorful spring flowers, as well as cut flowers decorated the other rooms, all blending in a charm of color that told of the gayety indicating the approach of spring.

Out of town guests included Mrs. Dorothy Roberts of Birmingham, Ala.; Mrs. Edna Lorette, Miss Margaret Street and Mr. Max Neumann, of New Orleans.

The guest list for this largely and thoroughly enjoyable party included the following named:

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Thomson, Dr. and Mrs. Jas. A. Evans, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Arceaux, Mr. and Mrs. Emmet L. Betzer, Mr. and Mrs. Roger M. Boh, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis F. Burge, Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Carriere, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace M. Catchings, Dr. and Mrs. A. P. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Ulvess Cuevas, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. G. Moreau, Mr. and Mrs. Harold B. Weston, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore T. Robin, Mr. and Mrs. George R. Rea, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph R. Schaff, Mr. and Mrs. Laurent L. Kergosien, Mr. and Mrs. E. Coney Weston, Dr. and Mrs. M. J. Wolfe, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Carter, Miss Margaret Green, Miss Elaine Mogabgab, Mr. Waldo Otis, Mr. Robert L. Camors, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Rowland Weston, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Frowell, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Pitcher, Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Gex, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Leo W. Seal, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Vassalli, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Mogabgab, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Bryan, Mrs. Alice C. Buckley, Mrs. Rhea Bonck, Mrs. F. J. Trastour.

MRS. E. MOGABGAB'S SECOND OF A SERIES OF TWO LUNCHEON-BRIDGES.

The second of a series of two luncheon-bridge parties by Mrs. E. Mogabgab, was given on Thursday afternoon of last week, with Mrs. George R. Rea, Mrs. Chas. G. Moreau, Mrs. Max N. Kohler, Mrs. F. J. Bopp, Miss Margaret Green and Miss Elaine Mogabgab present.

Mrs. Kohler and Miss Green captured the first prize at their respective tables, while Mrs. Rea was successful in winning the "contract" prizes were reasonable and well worthy of possession, each a camelina japonica of size and of fine variety.

The lovely and delicious luncheon was served at noon and the balance of the afternoon was spent in fascinating diversion of "contract."

Colorful spring flowers served to decorate the rooms and Mrs. Mogabgab's well known hospitality and charm of manner made the party most successful and thoroughly enjoyable.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Shear and their attractive young daughter, Shirley, returned during the last week-end from a month's stay at attractive Miami Beach, Fla., with the gay season at its height. They motored to and fro and their trip and stay was thoroughly enjoyed. This is the second consecutive season the Shears have been vacationing at famous Miami Beach. Their return home is gladly welcomed.

PURCHASES LOVELY NEW HOME IN BAY VIEW COURT.

Mrs. Irma Fahey has shown good taste and judgment in purchasing the remaining dwelling, just completed, in beautiful and fashionable Bay View Court, where both sides of this lovely residential section has been lined with modern and attractive dwellings. The houses are now, at least, modern in design and appointment and all combine to make this one of the most valuable and desirable residential sections of the city. A buy here is "a good buy." The purchase price was not disclosed.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmet L. Betzer spent the week-end at Jackson, Miss., where they visited friends and motored to and fro. Ideal spring weather added to the pleasure of the trip.

The Misses Spori are here from New Orleans for the pre-Easter holidays—at their summer home on South Beach.

RADIO & ELECTRIC COMPANY IN NEW LOCATION.

The Radio & Electric Service completed its moving Thursday and are now located in their new quarters at 127 North Beach.

OFF TO CAMP SHELBY.

The local selectees board reports Richard Isadore Lloyd and Ferdinand Andrew Adolph reported at the courthouse for induction into the United States Army, at Camp Shelby at 8 a. m. Monday, April 1.

After a week's visit with his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Rusty Anderson, at Clermont Harbor, Mr. Garland Anderson has returned to Alexandria, La., where he has quite a responsible position in the construction of the Army cantonment there. While here, Mr. Anderson was recipient of a number of courtesies, among which was a skating party at the new skating rink in Gulfport with the following young people in the party: Mr. and Mrs. Rusty Anderson, Misses Elise McCaleb, Muriel Kergosien, and Adelaide Heitzman, and Messrs. Garland Anderson and Herman Bopp.

CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI To Mildred Burke.

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the Second Monday of May, A. D. 1941, to defend the suit No. 4456 in said Court of Bertrand O. Burke, wherein you are a Defendant.

This 26th day of March, A. D. 1941.

(SEAL) A. G. FAVRE, Clerk.

CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI To Francis Edward Rose.

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the Second Monday of May, A. D. 1941, to defend the suit No. 4457 in said Court of Mildred Templeman Rose, wherein you are a Defendant.

This 2nd day of April, A. D. 1941.

(SEAL) A. G. FAVRE, Clerk.

MRS. CHADWICK ENTERTAIN AT GARDEN AND SUPPER INFORMALLY.

Mrs. C. J. Chadwick, assisted by her daughter, Mrs. N. M. Dick, was hostess Tuesday evening to a "Michigan" party, followed by a mid-night supper, that proved one of thorough enjoyment, at the cozy home on Kellar avenue.

Mrs. Chadwick, the ever charming and resourceful hostess, allowed nothing to remain undone in order the guests might enjoy every moment of the too-fast fleeting moments. And with the party original many novelties and new ideas were introduced.

Mrs. Chadwick's guest list for this party included, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. G. Moreau, Mrs. Alice C. Buckley, Mrs. Hugh P. Burbank, Miss Miriam Engman, Miss Levia Engman, Dr. C. M. Shipp and Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Dick.

YOUNGER SET ENJOYS INFORMAL DANCE AT THE EVANS' RESIDENCE.

Master James A. Evans was host to a delightful dance at the beach residence of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. James A. Evans Saturday night. The affair was informal and thoroughly enjoyed by the group present, including Virginia Seal, Ann Smith, Ruth Gray, Ann Weston, Shelby and Mary Leigh Weston, Jean Robin, Betty Lee Mitchell, and Roger Bob Gaines Kergosien, H. D. and Buddy Kirkpatrick, Bobby Murtagh, Donald and Menou Arceaux, Fred and James McDonald.

MRS. EXNICIOS HOSTS TO WOMEN CHRISTIAN SOCIETY SERVICE.

An executive meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church was called by Mrs. A. C. Exnicios, president, on Tuesday at her home on North Beach before her departure for the summer for Walled Lake, Michigan.

Reports were read and discussed and plans for the work for the new quarter were made.

Present at this meeting were Mesdames James A. Evans, F. J. Nelson, W. A. McDonald, W. W. James, Alice Buckley, E. C. Weston, J. L. Smith, T. W. Muller, Roy Cagle, Carrie Biddle, C. M. Shipp, Elizabeth Jenkins, J. B. Goldman and E. S. Drake.

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The local selectees board reports Richard Isadore Lloyd and Ferdinand Andrew Adolph reported at the courthouse for induction into the United States Army, at Camp Shelby at 8 a. m. Monday, April 1.

After a week's visit with his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Rusty Anderson, at Clermont Harbor, Mr. Garland Anderson has returned to Alexandria, La., where he has quite a responsible position in the construction of the Army cantonment there. While here, Mr. Anderson was recipient of a number of courtesies, among which was a skating party at the new skating rink in Gulfport with the following young people in the party: Mr. and Mrs. Rusty Anderson, Misses Elise McCaleb, Muriel Kergosien, and Adelaide Heitzman, and Messrs. Garland Anderson and Herman Bopp.

CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI To Mildred Burke.

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the Second Monday of May, A. D. 1941, to defend the suit No. 4456 in said Court of Bertrand O. Burke, wherein you are a Defendant.

This 26th day of March, A. D. 1941.

(SEAL) A. G. FAVRE, Clerk.

CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI To Francis Edward Rose.

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the Second Monday of May, A. D. 1941, to defend the suit No. 4457 in said Court of Mildred Templeman Rose, wherein you are a Defendant.

This 2nd day of April, A. D. 1941.

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